MEMORANDUM

October 13, 2003 File No. 03-101301

TO: Klickitat County Planning Dept. Bill Weiler/ Carl Dugger, DFW

Environmental Coordinator, DOE Tony Gilmer

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Friends of the Columbia Gorge Columbia River Gorge Commission

Colville Confederated Tribes Yakama Indian Tribe Wendy A. Goodenough, Proponent

FROM: Jenifer Gitchell, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: SEPA LEAD AGENCY & DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Forest Practice Application #2702764 is an uneven aged harvest of five acres, removing approximately 10,000 BF and leaving an average of at least 30 trees per acre greater than 10" DBH on land platted after January 1, 1960. Located in Section 10, Township 03 North, Range 12 East, W.M., Klickitat County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be viewed on DNR's website at:

http://www.dnr.wa.gov/sepa

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on October 13, 2003. We will consider comments on this proposed Determination of Nonsignificance received by 4:30 p.m. on October 27, 2003. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, sepacenter@wadnr.gov or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please include the file number listed above on all comments.